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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
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First named inventor: Mindaugas F. Dautartas

Application No: 09/923,842

Art Unit: 3726

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Examiner: David P. Bryant

Title: ALIGNMENT APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ALIGNING STACKED DEVICES

MS Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee – required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☐ Small entity – fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Other than small entity – fee \$ 1,500.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in
the form of _____ (identify type of reply):

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- ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
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4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE. The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].



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☒ Reply

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☐ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay

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